

(c) by when, the project is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV): (a) Water of river Ravi that was to be provided to the State of Jammu & Kashmir by gravity through Ravi Canal from Shahpurkandi Dam has not been done so far. However, as per information received from the Government of Jammu & Kashmir, a part of the supply (about 300 cusecs against carrying capacity of 1150 cusecs) is available by lifting water from two lift stations at Basantpur and Lehhanpur constructed for the purpose.

(b) Non-completion of Shahpurkandi Dam Project is the reason for non-supply of Ravi water by gravity to Ravi Canal.

(c) As informed by Government of Punjab, work on the Shahpurkhandi Dam Project has started and is likely to be completed by the year 2012. As informed by Government of Jammu & Kashmir, thereafter the balance portion of about 2 km length of Ravi Canal (Gravity channel) from Basantpur to Shahpurkandi dam will be constructed.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM): Sir, I lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 296 of the Income-tax Act, 1961:

S.O. 1287 (E) dated the 10th August, 2006, publishing the Income-tax (Ninth Amendment) Rules, 2006, together with Explanatory Memorandum thereon.

S.O. 1300 (E), dated the 11th August, 2006, publishing the Electronic Filing of Returns of Tax Deducted at Source (Amendment) Scheme, 2006, together with Explanatory Memorandum thereon.

S.O. 1301 (E), dated the 11th August, 2006, publishing the Electronic Filing of Returns of Tax Collected at Source (Amendment) Scheme, 2006, together with Explanatory Memorandum thereon.

S.O. 1532 (E), dated the 14th September, 2006, publishing the Income-tax (Tenth Amendment) Rules, 2006.

S.O. 1661 (E), dated the 3rd October, 2006, amending S.O. 741 (E) dated the 28th June, 2004, for including some districts of Uttaranchal in the said Notification for availing the benefits of section 80-IC of Income-tax Act, 1961, together with Explanatory Memorandum thereon.

S.O. 1856 (E), dated the 30th October, 2006, publishing the Income-tax (Twelfth Amendment) Rules, 2006, together with Explanatory Memorandum thereon. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5105/06]

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND MINISTER OF CULTURE (SHRIMATI AMBIKA SONI): Sir, I lay on the Table, a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers:

- (i) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Sangeet Natak Akademi, New Delhi, for the year 2004-2005, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above Akademi.
- (c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5083/06]
- (ii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the Lalit Kala Akademi, New Delhi, for the year 2004-2005, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above Akademi.
- (c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5082/06]
- (iii) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur, for the year 2004-2005, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.
- (c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5080/06]

- (iv) (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala, for the year 2004-2005, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.
- (c) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at(a) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5081/06]
- (v) (a) Annual Reports of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the years 1995-1996, 1996-1997, 1997-1998 and 1998-1999.
- (b) Annual Accounts of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the years 1995-1996, 1996-1997, 1997-1998 and 1998-1999 and the Audit Report thereon.
- (c) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre for the years 1995-1996, 1996-1997, 1997-1998 and 1998-1999.
- (d) Statements giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at(a) and (b) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5077/06]
- (vi) (a) Annual Report of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 1999-2000.
- (b) Annual Accounts of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 1999-2000, and the Audit Report thereon.
- (c) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.
- (d) Statements giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at(a) and (b) above. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5078/06]
- (vii) (a) Annual Report of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 2000-2001.

- (b) Annual Accounts of the Indira Gandhi National Centre for the Arts, New Delhi, for the year 2000-2001, and the Audit Report thereon.
- (c) Review by Government on the working of the above Centre.
- (d) Statement giving reasons for the delay in laying the papers mentioned at (a) and (b) above.

[Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5079/06]

THE MINISTER OF COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI PREM CHAND GUPTA): Sir, I lay on the Table:

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Company Affairs Notification G.S.R. 488 (E) dated the 19th August, 2006, publishing the Cost and Works Accountants (Nomination of Members to the Council) Rules, 2006, under sub-section (5) of section 39 of the Cost and Works Accountants Act, 1959. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5108/06]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Company Affairs under sub-section(4) of section 39 of the Company Secretaries Act, 1980:—

- (i) G.S.R. 489 (E) dated the 19th August, 2006, publishing the Company Secretaries (Nomination of Members to the Council) Rules, 2006.
- (ii) G.S.R. 533 (E) dated the 5th September, 2006, publishing the Company Secretaries (Election to the Council) Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5109/06]

III. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Company Affairs under section 30B of the Chartered Accountants Act, 1949:—

- (i) G.S.R. 490 (E) dated the 19th August, 2006, publishing the Chartered Accountants (Nomination of Members to the Council) Rules, 2006.
- (ii) G.S.R. 534 (E) dated the 5th September, 2006, publishing the Chartered Accountants (Election to the Council) Rules, 2006.

- (iii) No. 1-CA (7)/92/2006 dated the 13th September, 2006, publishing the Chartered Accountants (Amendment) Regulations, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5107/06]

IV. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Company Affairs, under sub-section (3) of section 642 of the Companies Act, 1956:—

- (i) G.S.R. 555 (E) dated the 14th September, 2006, publishing the Companies (Central Governments) General Rules and Forms (Second Amendment) Rules, 2006.
- (ii) G.S.R. 557 (E) dated the 14th September, 2006, publishing the Companies (Electronic Filing and Authentication of Documents) Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5111/06]
- (iii) S.O. 1529(E) dated the 14th September, 2006, appointing the 16th day of September, 2006 as the date on which the provisions of section 4 of the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2006, shall come into force.
- (iv) G.S.R. 648(E) dated the 19th October, 2006, appointing the 1st day of November, 2006 as the date on which the provisions of sections 2 and 3 of the Companies (Amendment) Act, 2006, shall come into force. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5113/06]
- (v) G.S.R. 649(E) dated the 19th October, 2006, publishing the Companies (Director Identification Number) Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5111/06]
- (vi) G.S.R. 650(E) dated the 19th October, 2006, delegating the powers and functions of the Central Government in respect of allotment of Director Identification Number under sections 266A, and 266B of the Companies Act, 1956 to the Regional Director, Joint Director, Deputy Director or Assistant Director posted in the office of Regional Director, Northern Region. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5112/06]
- (vii) S.O. 1844(E) dated the 27th October, 2006, publishing the Scheme for Filing of Statutory Documents and Other Transactions by

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Companies in Electronic mode.[Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5111/06]

V. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Company Affairs:—

- (i) G.S.R. 525(E) dated the 31st August, 2006, publishing Corrigendum to G.S.R. 148(E) dated the 8th March, 2006, carrying out certain corrections in Hindi version of the said Notification.
- (ii) G.S.R. 526(E) dated the 31st August, 2006, publishing Corrigendum to S.O. 147(E) dated the 8th March, 2006, carrying out certain corrections in English version of the said Notification. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5110/06]

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL): Sir, I lay, on behalf of my colleague Shri S.S. Palanimanickam, on the Table:

I. A copy (in English and Hindi) of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue) Notification G.S.R. 654 (E) dated the 20th October, 2006, publishing the Smugglers and Foreign Exchange Manipulators (Receipt, Management and Disposal of Forfeited Property) Rules, 2006, under sub-section (3) of section 26 of the Smugglers and Foreign Exchange Manipulators (Forfeiture of Property) Act, 1976, together with an Explanatory Memorandum thereon. [Placed in Library. See No. LT. 5119/06]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 159 of the Customs Act, 1962, together with Explanatory Memoranda on the Notification: [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5117/06]

- (1) S.O. 1228 (E) dated the 31st July, 2006, publishing Notification No. 85/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 31st July, 2006, amending S.O. 748 (E) dated the 3rd August, 2001, so as to revise Tariff Value on Crude Palm Oil, RBD Palm Oil, Others Palm Oil, Crude

Palmolein, RBD Palmolein, Others Palmolein, Crude Soyabean Oil and Brass Scrap (all grades), based on international prices.

- (2) S.O. 1305 (E) dated the 14th August, 2006, publishing Notification No. 88/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 14th August, 2006, amending S.O. 748 (E) dated the 3rd August, 2001, so as to revive Tariff Value on Crude Soyabean Oil and Brass Scrap (all grades), based on international prices.
- (2) S.O. 1362 (E) dated the 28th August, 2006, publishing Notification No. 92/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 28th August, 2006, laying down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of import under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.
- (4) S.O. 1363 (E) dated the 28th August, 2006, publishing Notification No. 93/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 28th August, 2006, laying down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.
- (5) S.O. 1606 (E) dated the 26th September, 2006, publishing Notification No. 106/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 26th September, 2006, laying down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency or vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of import under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.
- (6) S.O. 1607 (E) dated the 26th September, 2006, publishing Notification No. 107/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 26th September, 2006, laying down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.
- (7) S.O. 1842 (E) dated the 26th October, 2006, publishing Notification No. 110/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 26th October, 2006, laying down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.
- (8) S.O. 1843 (E) dated the 26th October, 2006, publishing Notification No. 111/2006-Customs (NT), dated the 26th October, 2006, laying

down the exchange rate for conversion of certain foreign currencies into Indian currency vice-versa for the purpose of assessment of export under section 14 of the Customs Act, 1962.

- (9) G.S.R. 705 (E) dated the 16th November, 2006, publishing the Notification No. 113/2006-Customs, dated the 16th November, 2006, so as to exempt customs duties, valid upto 31st December, 2011, on specified goods required for the Airborne Early Warning and Control (AEW&C) Systems Programme of the Ministry of Defence. [Placed in Library. (for 1 to 9) See No. 5117/106]

III. A copy each in (English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Revenue), under section 296 of the Income-tax Act, 1961:-

- (1) S.O. 2850 dated the 29th July, 2006, notifying the Vivekananda Rock Memorial and Vivekananda Kendra, Chennai, for the Assessment Years 2005-06 to 2007-08, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (2) S.O. 2851 dated the 29th July, 2006, notifying the Association of Tribal Welfare Development, Nangalanda, for the Assessment Years 2006-07 to 2008-09, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (3) S.O. 2852 dated the 29th July, 2006, notifying the Gujarat Pollution Control Board, Gandhinagar, for the Assessment Years 1999-2000 to 2001-02, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (4) S.O. 2853 dated the 29th July, 2006, notifying the Gujarat Pollution Control Board, Gandhinagar, for the Assessment Years 2002-03 to 2004-05, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (5) S.O. 3759 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the Centre for Science & Environment, New Delhi, for the Assessment Years 2003-04 to 2005-06, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (6) S.O. 3760 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the Joytirmath Badrikashram Himalaya, Kolkata, for the Assessment

Years 2005-06 to 2007-08, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

- (7) S.O. 3761 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the Centre for Development and Human Rights, New Delhi, for the Assessment Years 2002-03 to 2004-05, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (8) S.O. 3762 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the National Highways Authority of India, New Delhi, for the Assessment Years 2002-03 to 2004-05, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (9) S.O. 3763 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the Export Promotion Council for Handicraft, New Delhi, for the Assessment Years 2005-06 to 2007-08, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (10) S.O. 3764 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the Defence Civilian Medical Aid Funds, New Delhi, for the Assessment Years 1999-2000 to 2001-02, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (11) S.O. 3765 dated the 23rd September, 2006, notifying the National Horticulture Board, Gurgaon, for the Assessment Years 2005-06 to 2007-08, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (12) S.O. 4147 dated the 28th October, 2006, notifying the Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, West Bengal, for the Assessment Years 2004-05 to 2006-07, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (13) S.O. 4175 dated the 28th October, 2006, notifying the Leishiphung Christian Hospital Association, Manipur, for the Assessment Years 2006-07 to 2008-09, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (14) S.O. 4176 dated the 28th October, 2006, notifying the Chief Minister Relief Fund, Mumbai, for the Assessment Years 2005-06 to 2007-08, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.
- (15) S.O. 4177 dated the 28th October, 2006, notifying the Organization of Pharmaceutical Producers of India, Mumbai, for the

Assessment Years 2001-02 to 2003-04, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961.

- (16) S.O. 4178 dated the 28th October, 2006, notifying the Tamilnadu Trade Promotion Organisation, Chennai, for the Assessment Years 2004-05 to 2006-07, for exemption under section 10(23C)(iv) of the Income-tax Act, 1961. [Placed in Library. (for 1 to 16) See No. L.T. 5118/06]

IV. A Copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers under sub-section (5) of section 48 of the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development Act, 1981:—

- (a) Annual Report and Accounts of the National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (NABARD), Mumbai, for the year 2005-2006, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above Bank. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5121/06]

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY, MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRIMATI KANTI SINGH): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following papers, under sub-section (1) of section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:

- (i) (a) Fifty-fourth Annual Report and Accounts of the Hindustan Cables Limited, Kolkata, the year 2005-2006, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.
- (b) Review by Government on the working of the above company. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5233/06]
- (ii) (a) Forty-second Annual Report and Accounts of the Instrumentation Limited (IL), Kota, for the year 2005-2006, together with the Auditor's Report on the Accounts and the comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India thereon.

(b) Statement by Government accepting the above Report. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5282/06]

SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Sir, I lay on the Table:—

I. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs), under sub-section (3) of section 21 of the Coinage Act, 1906:

- (i) G.S.R. 465 (E), dated the 8th August, 2006, publishing the Coinage of the Fifty Rupees and Five Rupees coined to commemorate the occasion of Golden Jubilee Celebration of ONGC on the 14th August, 2006.
- (ii) G.S.R. 500 (E), dated the 24th August, 2006, publishing the Coinage of the One Hundred Rupees and Five Rupees coined in commemoration of Jagath Guru Sree Narayana Gurudev-Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library. See No. L.T. 5121/06]

II. A copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notifications of the Ministry of Finance (Department of Economic Affairs), under sub-section (4) of section 23 A of the Regional Rural Banks Act, 1976:—

- (i) S.O. 1885 (E), dated the 2nd November, 2006, regarding dissolution of the Bolangir Anchalik Gramya Bank, Kalahandi Anchalika Gramya Bank and Koraput-Panchabati Gramya Bank, by reason of their amalgamation into the Utkal Gramya Bank.
- (ii) S.O. 1886 (E), dated the 2nd November, 2006, regarding dissolution of the Chandrapur Gadchiroli Gramin Bank and Bhandara Gramin Bank, by reason of their amalgamation into the Wainganga Kshetriya Gramin Bank.
- (iii) S.O. 1887 (E), dated the 2nd November, 2006, regarding dissolution of the Adhiyaman Grama Bank and Vallalar Grama Bank, by reason of their amalgamation into the Pallavan Grama Bank.
- (iv) S.O. 1888 (E), dated the 2nd November, 2006, regarding dissolution of the Avadh Gramin Bank, Barabanki Gramin Bank and Farrukhabad Gramin Bank, by reason of their amalgamation into the Aryavart Gramin Bank. [Placed in Library. See. No. L.T. 5267/06]

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI DINSHA J. PATEL): Sir, I lay on the Table a copy each (in English and Hindi) of the following Notification of the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas, under section 62 of the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (PNGRB) Act, 2006;

- (i) G.S.R. 570 (E) dated the 18th September, 2006 publishing the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Salaries, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Chairperson and Members) Rules, 2006.
- (ii) G.S.R. 571 (E) dated the 18th September, 2006 publishing the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Salary, Allowances and other Conditions of Service of Secretary) Rules, 2006.
- (iii) G.S.R. 572 (E) dated the 18th September, 2006 publishing the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Annual Report) Rules, 2006.
- (iv) G.S.R. 573 (E) dated the 18th September, 2006 publishing the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Payment of Compensation) Rules, 2006.
- (v) G.S.R. 574 (E) dated the 18th September, 2006 publishing the Petroleum and Natural Gas Regulatory Board (Procedure for Appointment of a Person or Constitution of an Authority for Conducting Inquiry against Chairperson or a Member) Rules, 2006. [Placed in Library See. No. LT-5076/06]

MESSAGE FROM LOK SABHA

The Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order Amendment Bill, 2006

SECRETARY-GENERAL: Sir, I have to report to the House the following message received from the Lok Sabha, signed by the Secretary-General of the Lok Sabha:

"In accordance with the provisions of rule 120 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Lok Sabha, I am directed to inform you that Lok Sabha, at its sitting held on the